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Motter Avenue Bridge Project

Construction Update

June 18, 2014



Crews use a crane to place bridge girders for the new Motter Avenue bridge over US 15.
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Please drive carefully through the work zone and beyond:

- Observe new signs and flaggers during lane closures.
- Watch for construction equipment and working crews.
- Automated speed enforcement is in place on US 15. The speed limit is 55 mph.



New girders in place for the bridge.
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Recent Accomplishments:

1. Crews have completed the entrance to Amber Meadows Medical Center.
2. Crews have completed work for a retaining wall in front of the bridge abutment (end support) off of the northbound shoulder of US 15 and have begun forming the corresponding wall off of the southbound shoulder.
3. With the completion of the piers (central supports) for the bridge, all “substructure” concrete (supporting the bridge) is complete for the project.
4. Crews have been working on storm drain installation on Motter Avenue/Opossumtown Pike.
5. Crews have begun work on concrete curb for the median on Opossumtown Pike.
6. Crews have been working on full depth construction of roadway on Motter Avenue near the west abutment and on US 15 for turn lanes and shoulder areas.
7. Crews have installed the final signal pole and arm at the Rose Hill Plaza/Exxon entrances.

Upcoming work schedule:

1. Crews will continue working on full depth construction for turn lane and shoulder area on US 15.
2. Crews will continue installing storm drain structures on Motter Avenue.
3. Crews will place concrete for curb, gutter and sidewalk.
4. Crews will continue working on median islands on Opossumtown Pike.
5. Crews will set steel girders for the bridge starting the week of June 16.

On behalf of Maryland State Highway Administration (SHA), I would like to thank you for your cooperation and patience. Please drive with caution through our work zone.

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